

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(2)

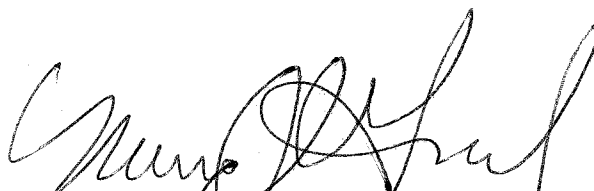
TO: Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: December 5, 2006

FROM: Murray A. Greenberg
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution Amending the
Miami-Dade Police
Department's Personalized
Patrol Vehicle Program to
Permit the Use of Vehicles
In Broward, Monroe and
Collier Counties

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Chairman Joe A. Martinez.



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Please note any items checked.

- ☐ "4-Day Rule" ("3-Day Rule" for committees) applicable if raised
- ☐ 6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
- ☐ 4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
- ☐ Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
- ☐ Budget required
- ☐ Statement of fiscal impact required
- ☐ Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation
- ☐ Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
- ☐ Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)
- ☐ No committee review

Approved _____ Mayor

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Veto _____

12-05-06

Override _____

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION AMENDING THE MIAMI-DADE POLICE DEPARTMENT'S PERSONALIZED PATROL VEHICLE PROGRAM TO PERMIT THE USE OF VEHICLES IN BROWARD, MONROE AND COLLIER COUNTIES, AND DIRECTING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO MODIFY EXISTING RULES AND RESTRICTIONS FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM TO ACCOMODATE SUCH USE

WHEREAS, this Board in Resolution No. 941-91 authorized the County Manager to implement the Miami-Dade Police Department's Personalized Patrol Vehicle Program; and

WHEREAS, as originally implemented, the Personalized Patrol Vehicles Program prohibited the assignment of vehicles to officers who lived outside the County; and

WHEREAS, this Board has determined that the benefits to the community of increased police visibility, improved response time, reduced per vehicle maintenance costs, increased vehicle longevity and other improvements in operational efficiency warrant expansion of the program to permit officers to travel within Broward, Monroe and Collier counties,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

Section 1. The Board hereby rescinds the restrictions in Resolution No. 941-91 regarding the use of Personalized Patrol Vehicles outside the geographic boundaries of Miami-Dade County and hereby authorizes police officers who are assigned such vehicles to use them in Miami-Dade, Broward, Collier and Monroe counties. Assignment of personalized patrol vehicles shall continue to be entirely at the discretion of the Department Director and shall not be a fringe benefit or entitlement; neither the granting nor the limiting nor the discontinuation of use

of a personalized patrol vehicle shall be grievable or otherwise appealable beyond the Department Director; use of such vehicles may be predicated or conditioned upon good performance and may be discontinued or denied in lieu of or in conjunction with discipline. The Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to cancel this program if, at any time, it determines that rulings and interpretations under the Fair Labor Standards Act create an unreasonable burden to the general fund.

Section 2. The County Manager is hereby directed to amend the rules and restrictions for participation in the existing Personalized Vehicle Program to permit officers who are assigned personalized vehicles to use those vehicles to travel within the geographical boundaries of Miami-Dade, Broward, Monroe and Collier counties.

The foregoing resolution was sponsored by Chairman Joe A. Martinez and offered by Commissioner _____, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner _____ and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

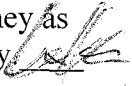
Joe A. Martinez, Chairman	
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Bruno A. Barreiro	Jose "Pepe" Diaz
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Katy Sorenson	Rebeca Sosa
Sen. Javier D. Souto	

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 5th day of December, 2006. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY ITS BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: _____
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency. 

Lee Kraftchick

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